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From the Body of Forces commanded by Prince Lobkowitz, incamped at Chawa in the Bannat, Aug. 13.

OUR Troops having advanced hither, Prince Lobkowitz has received Advice that Marſhal Wallis will ſhortly repaſs the Danube; and purſuant to new Inſtructions ſent to the ſaid Prince our General, we ſhall begin To-morrow to march back into Tranſylvania, in order to make a Diverſion in the Turkiſh Walachia and Moldavia jointly with the Ruſſian Troops.

From the Imperial Army commanded by Marſhal Wallis, Aug. 19. On the 11th we encamped at Czentos. We lay ſtill the 12th and 13th. On the 14th Count Konigſegg, and Count Walvaron of the Regiment of Ogilvi, were detached with ſix Battallions to reinforce the Garriſon of Belgrade. The 15th the Army marched, and paſſing the Danube, encamped near Sortock: In the March Marſhal Wallis was ſuddenly taken ill, and had a fainting Fit, from which ſoon recovering, he was put into his Coach, the Prince of Hildsburghauſen going into it with him. The Bridge of Boats over which we paſſed is kept together, and a Detachment is poſted at the Head of it on the Side of the Bannat, that we may make uſe of it to paſs back again if we have Occaſion. The ſame Day the Count de Gros, who had been ſent on the 12th to the Grand Vizier, returned, and reported that the Turks had prepared to paſs the Save; while he was in the Enemy's Camp, the Beſiegers and Beſieged forbore firing, but renewed their Fire as ſoon as he came back to Belgrade. The 16th at giving out the Word, it was declared that the Counts Gaiſrug, Schulenberg, and Lindeſheim, have been promoted to the Rank of Lieutenant Field-Marſhal; and the Colonels Palant, Duryer, Marſchalk, and Gailen, made Majors-General. The 17th we heard terrible Firing all Day at Belgrade. The 18th, to Day General Neiperg went to the Turkiſh Army, to ſettle what is judged neceſſary with the French Ambaſſador, who is arrived there from Niſſa, and on this Occaſion the Firing has been again ſuſpended great Part of the Day. The 19th, an Officer, who is arrived to Day from Belgrade, reports, that though the Enemy had pointed their heavy Cannon chiefly againſt the Bulwark of St. Elizabeth, they have yet made no Breach in it, but that the Houſes in the Town are moſt of them laid in Ruins by the Bombs the Turks have thrown in. The French Ambaſſador arrived in the Camp before Belgrade on the 16th at Night: It is ſaid that the Ambaſſadors of Great Britain and Holland are likewiſe arrived there.

Peterwaradin, Aug. 20. Marſhal Wallis had been ſeized with a violent Fever, which began by a Vomiting and a Dyſentery; it was at firſt judged very dangerous, but it is now ſaid he is ſomething better. In Conſequence of his Illneſs, General Seher has the Command of the Army, but he confers with Marſhal Wallis before the Word be given out. The Army is encamped near Sortock, having paſſed the Danube the 15th. They have Graſs and Hay enough, but hardly any Wood for Firing. The Turks fire vigorouſly upon Belgrade from 13 Batteries of Cannon and Mortars; in the mean while the Count de Gros, Colonel of the Regiment of Savoy, is often ſent to their Camp, and during the Time he is there, not a Shot is fired on either Side. The Turks treat him with all Civility. On the 18th the Count de Neiperg, General of the Artillery, went to the Turkiſh Camp, from whence he is not yet returned.

Whitehall, Auguſt 24, 1739.

It is His Majeſty's Pleaſure, That the Reduced Officers of His Majeſty's Land Forces and Marines, who are now on the Britiſh Eſtabliſhment of Half Pay, do forthwith tranſmit to His Majeſty's Secretary at War, an Account of their reſpective Ages, and preſent Places of Abode; and they are farther to take Notice, that by His Majeſty's Command, no Payment will be made after the Date hereof, on Account of any Half Pay now due or to become due to any of the Reduced Officers aforeſaid, or to any Perſon whatſoever, by Virtue of any Letter